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Application Number	09/682,286
Filing Date	8/14/2001
First Named Inventor	Boden et al.
Art Unit	1626
Examiner Name	Shameem
Attorney Docket Number	08CL07494

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application  
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ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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i. ☐ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

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iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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